

User manual



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Foreword

Dear Pocket PC user,

When buying **1-2-Remote** you chose an innovative software solution for Pocket PCs.

1-2-Remote is a remote control software for your Pocket PC to control your desktop music library stored in Windows Media Player or iTunes - everywhere at home!

This manual will lead you through the installation of **1-2-Remote** and acquaint you with the handling of the program. You will find information on the following topics:

1. Installation: The first chapter covers the installation of the software step by step.
1. Program documentation: This chapter describes all functions and settings of your new remote control software **1-2-Remote**.

Note: All functions of this software have been carefully tested on different devices. To our knowledge **1-2-Remote** runs faultlessly on all pocket PCs with Windows Mobile 2002 and higher.

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1-2-Remote was developed for the operating systems Windows Mobile 2002/2003/2005 for Pocket PC. Incompatibilities with other applications are improbable, but they cannot be ruled out entirely.

Should you have any problems with our software, please visit www.1-2-remote.com.

Additionally you will find our forum there which helps to solve many problems.

Alternatively you may send us an e-mail to support@sfr-software.com.

We hope you will enjoy **1-2-Remote**!

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Installation

Preliminary remarks

In order that you may install and use **1-2-Remote** as easily as possible, our software developers created a convenient installation routine and intuitive software handling. The installation routine will run almost completely software assisted. Only where you have to choose between certain options you will get a message which may be answered with one click.

The suggested settings have been thoroughly tested, and we recommend that you confirm them.

The software installation of **1-2-Remote** is effected in two steps, which are described in this document in detail.

1-2-Remote cannot be installed on Pocket PCs directly. You must install it from your desktop PC by calling up the installation file.

In order to install **1-2-Remote** a connection between desktop PC and pocket PC must be established.

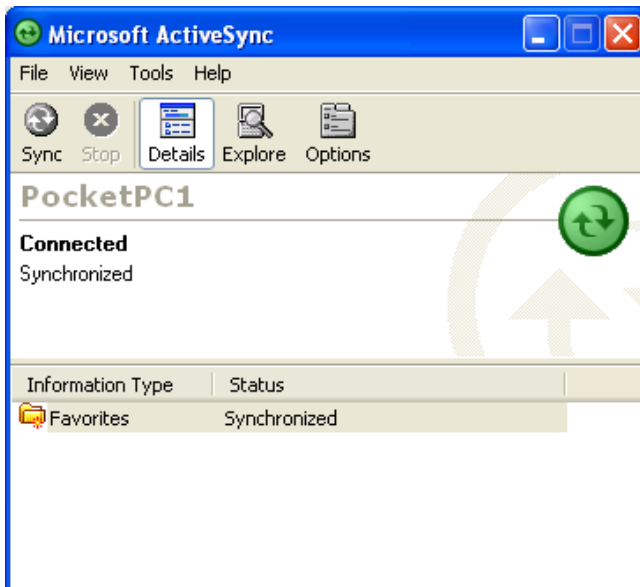
Should you have any problems with this connection, please refer to your Pocket PC's manual, or ask the manufacturer of your hardware.

The following steps apply to a connection established with the Microsoft software ActiveSync®.



Installation on your PC

ActiveSync connection

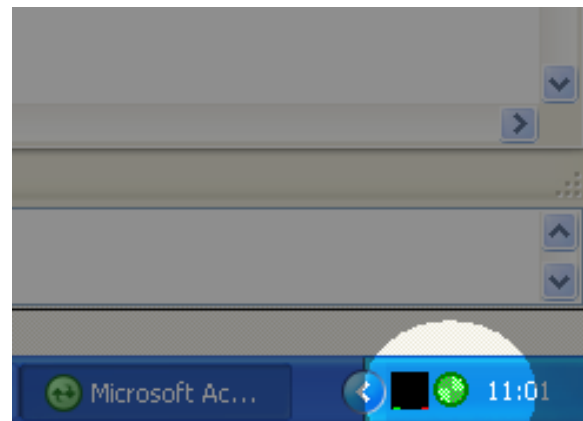


Establish an ActiveSync connection between your PC and your Pocket PC.

Pay attention to the **green control light**. It symbolizes an existing connection throughout the first installation step.

A **gray control light** means that there is no connection. In this case please try to reconnect.

Note: If you cannot establish an ActiveSync connection, try restarting your PC with the pocket PC still connected.

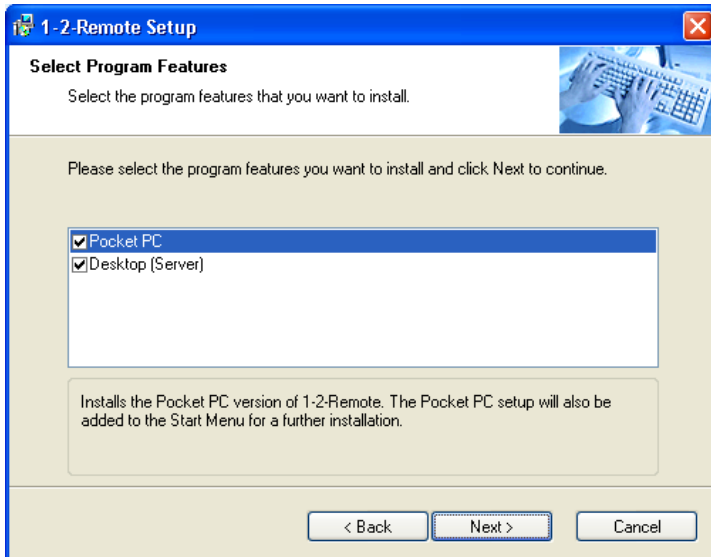




Start setup file

1-2-Remote will contact the Pocket PC system to start the installation.

Select installation parts



The selection „Pocket PC“ will copy the setup file to your PC and after PC installation **1-2-Remote** will be installed to your Pocket PC.

You can install the Pocket PC file many times over afterwards from the Windows start menu.

The selection „Desktop (Server)“ will install the PC component of **1-2-Remote**.

Finish copying

After copying the files to your Pocket PC, a message will appear. Please confirm with OK.



Connection via WLAN or Bluetooth

At first startup of **1-2-Remote** you see the connection settings dialog.

You must first choose the connection type for your Pocket PC and PC.

If you select Wireless LAN (WLAN) connection, you have to enter your PC's network name or IP address.

1-2-Remote can scan your network for your PC, if you select "Scan network".

If you want to use a Bluetooth connection between Pocket PC and PC just select "Bluetooth" from the list.

You can read more about configuration of a Bluetooth connection in the chapter "Setting up a Bluetooth connection" of this manual.

After finishing configuration tap on "Connect" to enter the world of **1-2-Remote**.





Program documentation

The main screen

The main screen of **1-2-Remote** is divided into the following sections:

- Playback section
- Main controls
- List and detail section
- Menu bar

These sections are described in the following chapters.

The playback section



The upper part of the main screen contains the playback section. This section shows detailed information about the current track.



Status icon

The playback status is shown in the upper left part of the playback section. The example screenshot shows **1-2-Remote** in "pause mode". Other statuses are "play" and "stop".



Track time



The track time display shows the elapsed time of the current track.

You can change the time view to "balance time" by just tapping on the time display.



Track information

You can see additional information to your track in the upper middle part of the playback section.

You can see the bit rate of the file and the track number in the corresponding album of the track.



Other controls



You can enable shuffle mode of the current playlist by tapping on the left icon symbol in the example screenshot.

Tapping on the right icon activates one of three possible repeat modes:

- Play whole playlist once
- Repeat current playlist endlessly
- Repeat current track endlessly



Track title

When you click on the track title you can change its view from showing the name of the current album to showing the names of artist and track.



Time line



The time line show the current playback position of the track.

You can go to any other position by simply tapping on another spot on the time line.



The main controls

Track navigation



You can start, stop and pause playback or change to the next or previous track using these three controls shown in the example screenshot. The icon of the “play” button will change according to the playback status.

Volume control

You can change the playback volume when tapping on the “speaker” icon.

A fader will appear that allows precise adjustment of the volume.





Minimized view



You can minimize the playback section to preserve more space for the list and detail section. Only the most necessary information is shown in a reduced playback section then.

You can toggle minimized and normal view with a single tap.

Fullscreen view

Fullscreen view will eliminate the title bar of Windows Mobile to use the whole screen for **1-2-Remote**.

You can toggle fullscreen and normal view with a single tap.





Current playlist



You can manage your playlists with **1-2-Remote**.

Use the button displayed on the example screenshot to show the current playlist.

Overview mode

The "overview" functions takes you to the top of your media library. From here you can browse your songs by defined categories or reach the playlist and the search functions.





List and detail section

The list and detail section in the lower part of the screen is used for several contents.

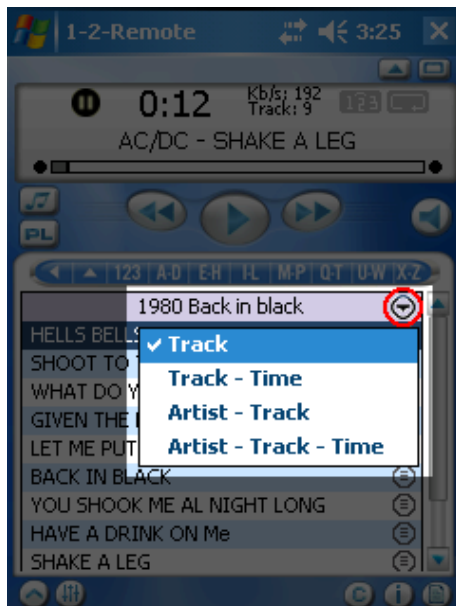
This section can show playlists, information about tracks and you can explore your media library there.

Navigation through your library is quite easy using the categories "Artist", "Album", "Songs" and "Genres".

Additional common categories are playlists and searches.



Change list columns



The contents of the list columns can be changed in all lists.

The red marked icon in the example screenshot leads to a menu where you can set your preferred view.



General icons

To add a track of the list to the current playlist just tap on the "+" icon. If a "-" icon is displayed, the track is already added to the current playlist and can be removed easily with a single tap.



Column icons of a playlist



If you are in the playlist overview you can select and start playing a playlist with a single tap on the small "play" icon.



Detail context menu



The icons on the right side of the list lead to a context menu with a number of possible functions for the selected track:

- **Show Info:** opens a view with detailed information about this track
- **Play:** starts playing the track without adding it to the current playlist.
- **Add:** Adds the track to the end of the current playlist
- **Add and Play:** A combination of the previous menu items
- **Add to new Playlist:** Creates a new playlist and adds this track
- **Add to:** You can select a playlist where this track should be added
- **Remove from Playlist:** Removes this track from the current playlist.



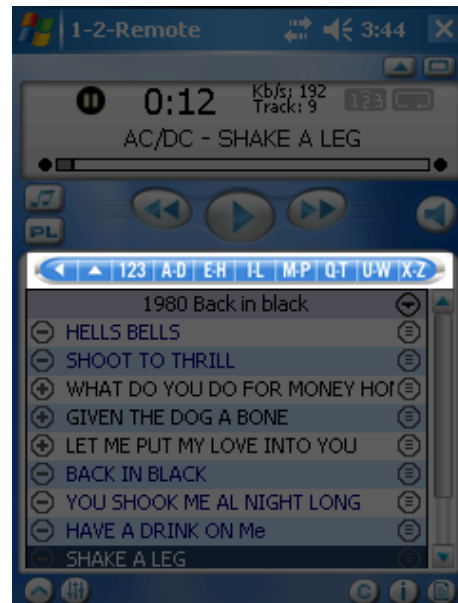
List navigation

You can go back to the last view with the “left arrow” icon.

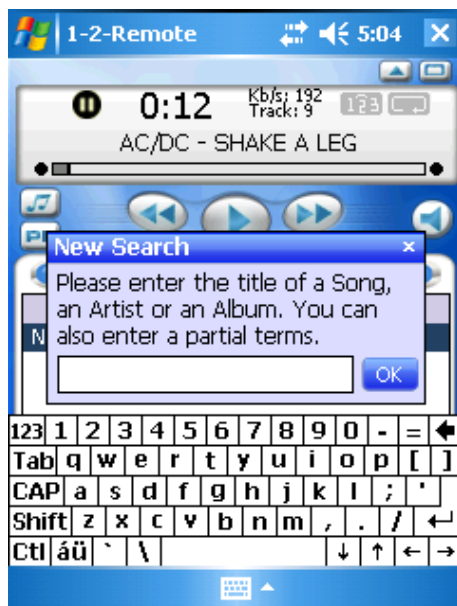
The “up arrow” leads to the top level of the view.

The letter buttons allow a quick navigation through the currently displayed list.

Tap on a letter twice or more to reach the entries in the list with following letters.



Search



The “searches view” can be reached from the top level of the navigation list.

You can create and save as many searches as you like to use them any time later.

To create a new search just enter a search expression and **1-2-Remote** will search your media library for (partly) matching track titles, albums and artists.



The menu bar / command bar

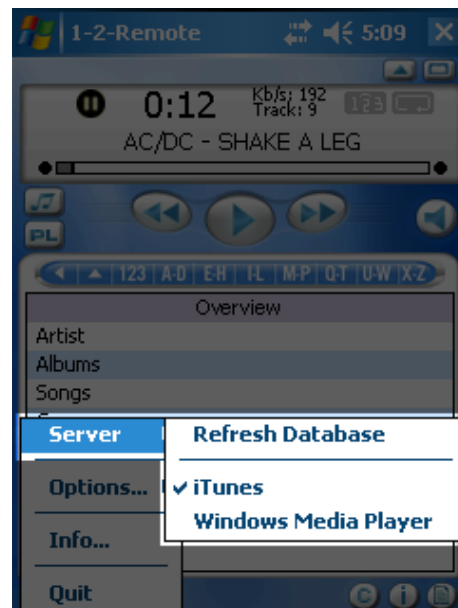
The menu bar is located at the bottom of the screen. You can reach many additional functions and change settings of **1-2-Remote**.

The menu item at the left side opens the main menu of **1-2-Remote**.

Server

The menu item "Server" allows changing the used media player on your PC.

You can manually refresh the media database of **1-2-Remote** here, too.





Settings

Connection settings

You must first choose the connection type for your Pocket PC and PC.

If you select Wireless LAN (WLAN) connection, you have to enter your PC's network name or IP address.

1-2-Remote can scan your network for your PC, if you select "Scan network".

If you want to use a Bluetooth connection between Pocket PC and PC just select "Bluetooth" from the list.

You can read more about configuration of a Bluetooth connection in the chapter "Setting up a Bluetooth connection" of this manual.



View

Change your view settings here:

- +/- icon visible: This setting shows or hides these icons from the list and detail view.
- Context menu icon visible: This setting shows or hides the context menu icon from the list and detail view.
- Font size: Reduce font size of the list and detail view to see more rows.

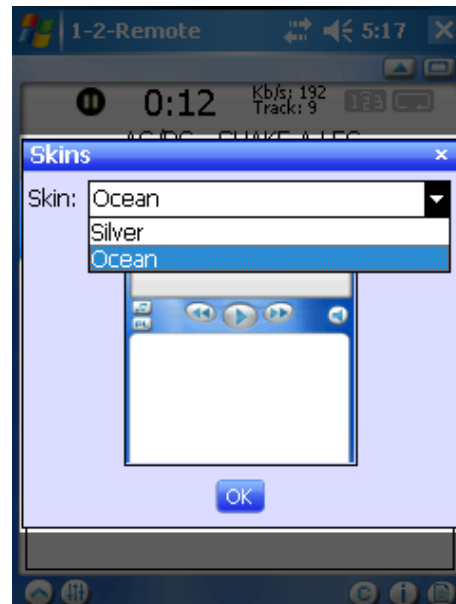
Hide the icons to get more space for track names. You can still use the icon's functions, when opening the context menu.





Skins

You can change the selected skin of **1-2-Remote** here. You must restart **1-2-Remote** for the changes to get active.



Equalizer

Using this menu item you can change the equalizer preset of your media player.

This functions is currently only available for iTunes.





Other command buttons



The menu items at the right side open different views for the current track.

You can show:

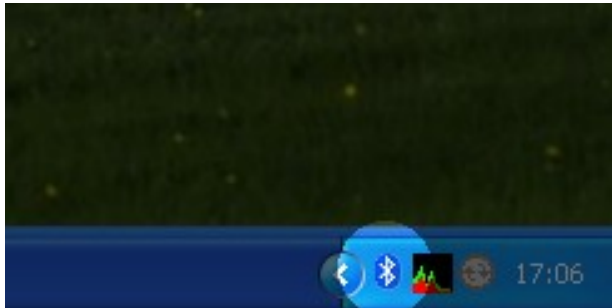
- The cover of the album, if existing
- Detailed information for the current track
- Lyrics for the current track



Setting up a Bluetooth connection

Step 1: (Installation of Bluetooth device driver)

Connect your Bluetooth dongle to your PC. If you connect it the first time, Windows will install the device drivers. This may take a few minutes and is done automatically in most cases.



After installation the Bluetooth icon should appear in the task bar.

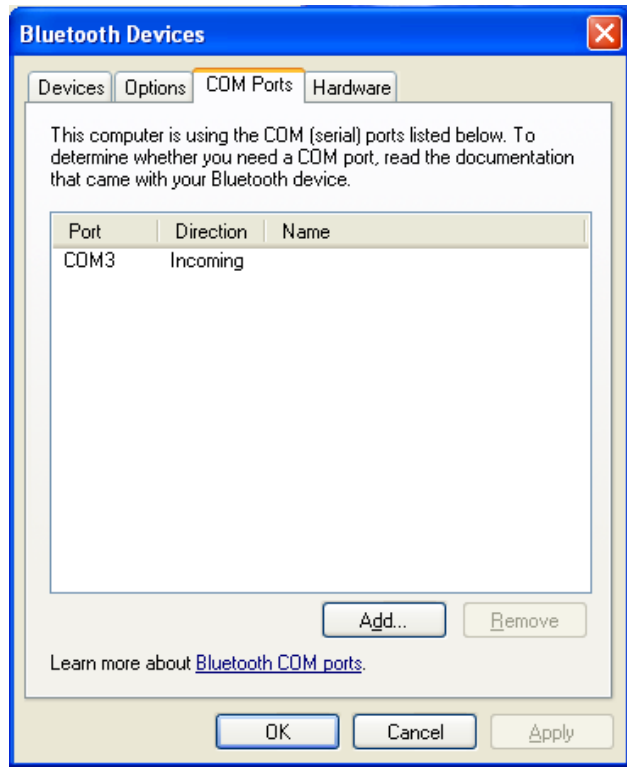


Step 2: (setting up the connection on PC)

Double-click on the Bluetooth icon and go to the page "COM Ports" in the Bluetooth Devices dialog. Click on the button "Add" now.

In the now opened dialog select "Incoming (Device initiates Connection)".

Remember the name of the new port, e.g. COM3.



Now start ActiveSync and open the Connection settings (menu "file").

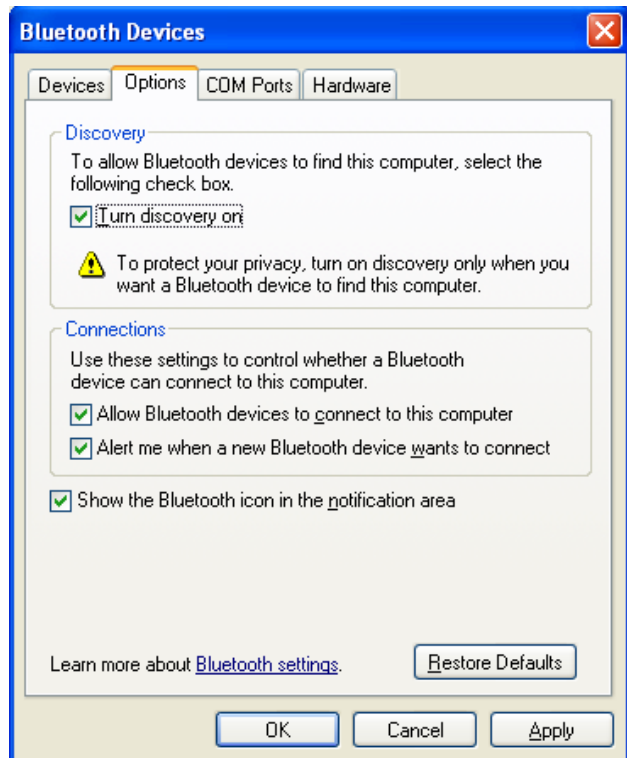
Activate "Allow connections to one of the following" and select the previously set COM port.

Notice: If the COM port should not appear in the list, you should restart your computer. In most cases the COM port will appear after restart.



Now double-click on the Bluetooth icon and open the "Options" page.

Activate "Turn discovery on".



Step 3: (setting up the connection on PPC)

Notice: Because Bluetooth configuration is different for many devices, the following description may vary for some devices and drivers. You should take a look at the manual of your Pocket PC device for insurance.

1. Turn on your Pocket PC and activate Bluetooth.
2. Open the Bluetooth configuration screen (Bluetooth Manager).
3. Add a new device. This function is often called "Search", "Search for device" or "Add device".
4. On some devices you need to establish a connection to this device ("connect", "make connection" "pair"). You must enter a PIN code.
5. You must enter the PIN code again on your PC. Double-click on the Bluetooth icon on your PC to open the PIN dialog.
6. If the connection is established, you can select, which services may be used. You should select "ActiveSync" or "ActiveSync Partner".
7. Start **1-2-Remote** now. Select "Bluetooth" and the compatible adapter in the connection settings dialog. The name of the adapter may be "BlueToothActiveSync" or the name of the connected PC.



Problems with Bluetooth connection

If any configuration problems should occur, we recommend disconnecting the paired devices and delete the devices from the Bluetooth configuration on both sides (PC and Pocket PC).

Start again with step 1 afterwards.



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